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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Richard L. Bertram

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Los Angeles, California 90045

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Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated January 2, 2001 in the above-identified application. The requisite

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Respectfully submitted,

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